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CLAIMS

1.-29. (cancelled)

30. (currently amended) A method of operating a software program in order to change ~~the programming code of~~ a web site ~~by a software program, the web site,~~ the web site having a plurality of web pages stored ~~as programming code~~ on a server, comprising the steps of:

receiving an email;

parsing the email to create a variable list;

determining from the variable list a request type, the request type indicative of a type of modification to the web site, the type of modification being one of deleting a web page from the web site; and

determining from the variable list the first web page, the first web page being the target of the request type.

31. (currently amended) The method of claim ~~57~~ 30 where and the email has a subject line further comprising:

where the step of determining the first web page consists of parsing ~~passing~~ a subject line of the email.

32. (Cancelled)

33. (currently amended) The method of claim 31 ~~32~~ further comprising:

determining whether the sender of the email is authorized to change the web site.

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34. (previously presented) The method of claim 33 further where the email has a sender address and the step of determining whether the sender of the email is authorized to change the web site comprises:

comparing the sender address with a first database to determine a sender access level; and

based upon the sender access level, determining if the sender is authorized to change the first web page.

35. (previously presented) The method of claim 34 further comprising:

obtaining a sender IP address; and

comparing the sender IP address to a range of IP addresses.

36. (previously presented) The method of claim 35 further comprising:

sending a confirmation email to a web site administrator.

37. (previously presented) The method of claim 36 further comprising:

if the sender IP address was not within the range of IP addresses, then:

creating an error notification; and

sending the error notification to the sender address.

38.-45. (cancelled)

46. (currently amended) A computer readable medium for modifying a web site, the web site having web pages stored on a server, the computer readable medium having program code recorded thereon for execution in a computer comprising:

a first program code unit for receiving an email from a sender;

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a second program code unit for parsing the email ~~into a variable list~~ and

a third program code unit for determining from the ~~variable list~~ email a request type,
the request type being one of deleting a first web page from the web site.

47. (currently amended) The computer readable medium of claim 46 further comprising:

a ~~fifth~~ fourth program code unit for determining from the ~~variable list~~ email a web
page variable, the web page variable identifying the first web page ~~to be modified~~.

48. (currently amended) The computer readable medium of claim 47 further comprising:

a ~~sixth~~ fifth program code unit for determining from the ~~variable list~~ email a count
of changes to the web site.

49. (currently amended) The computer readable medium of claim 48 further comprising:

a ~~seventh~~ sixth program code unit for determining a first portion of the first web
page to be changed; and

a ~~an eighth~~ seventh program code unit for applying the first change item to the first
portion.

50. (currently amended) The computer readable medium of claim 49 where the
communication was initiated by a user further comprising:

an eighth ~~ninth~~ program code unit for determining a user identifier, comparing the
user identifier with a security verification database and retrieving from the security verification
database an access level for the user;

and a ninth ~~tenth~~ program code unit for applying the first change item to the first
portion if the access level is acceptable.

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51.-54. (cancelled)

55. (currently amended) The method of claim ~~30~~ 58 further comprising:

if the request type is for a change to web pages, creating a programming code segment from the variable list; and
incorporating the programming code segment into the programming code for the first web page.

56. (previously presented) The method of claim 55 further comprising:

if the request type is to delete the first web page, then deleting the first web page from the web site.

57. (currently amended) The method of claim 56 further comprising:

if the request type is to add the ~~first~~ additional web page, then creating the ~~first~~ additional web page in the web site.

58. (new) The method of claim 30 where the request type could also be one of adding an additional web page to the web site.

59. (new) A method of operating a software program in order to change a web site, the web site having plurality of web pages stored on a server, comprising the steps of:

parsing a first web page to create a database of a plurality of objects, each of the plurality of objects associated with a unique HTML tag in the first web page;
receiving an email;
parsing the email;
identifying from the email a first object to be modified;

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using the database, identifying a first HTML tag in the first web page associated with
the first object; and
modifying the first HTML tag.